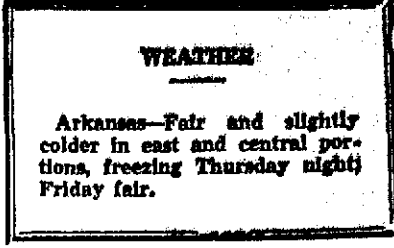


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FLOOD CREST PASSES CAIRO

House Passes Bill to Double State Tax Upon Liquor

Way Is Paved for Workmen's Compensation Amendment in 1938

NEW ELECTION BILL

Senate Approves, 26 to 0, Measure Limiting "Aid at Voting Booth"

LITTLE ROCK—(AP)—The house passed Thursday a bill by Moore of Desha to double the gallonage taxes on hard liquors, for the benefit of the old-age pension fund. The vote was 79 to 11. The emergency clause was adopted, 69 to 11.

The house adopted, 69 to 7, a joint resolution by Mikel of Sebastian to provide for submitting a proposal constitutional amendment in 1938 to amend the state constitution in order to enable the General Assembly to enact a workmen's compensation law.

The senate approved, 26 to 0, a house bill by Representative Shaw to regulate assistance to voters in elections, after hearing Senator Gathings of West Memphis plead for its passage on the claim that the measure would benefit voters in "machine counties."

The house passed, 59 to 18, an amended bill by Smalley of Crawford to make publication of personal property tax delinquent lists optional with the county courts. The emergency clause failed.

License Change Opposed

LITTLE ROCK—A proposal to change the time for paying automobile license fees from January 1 to April 1 was rejected late Wednesday by the senate. Sixteen senators voted for the proposed change, which was embodied in a house measure by Representative Purviance of Union county and others, and 15 voted against it. The bill would have required 18 votes for passage. Notice of request for reconsideration was given by its proponents.

Senator Martin of El Dorado, who called up the bill said that the suggested change would be more convenient for automobile owners and that the present custom of extending the final date for securing licenses could be avoided. He said that more automobiles and trucks would be placed in operation during the first three months of the year by setting the license-paying date on April 1, and that consequent increases in state revenue from gasoline and oil would be a major benefit.

Senator Barney of Texarkana opposed the change as "unworkable" and said he did not believe the purpose behind it is wholly the unselfish one of benefiting automobile and truck owners. He said that the bill is sponsored by the Arkansas Oil Dealers Association and that a representative of the organization has discussed the matter with some of the senate members.

"The vicious practice of deferring taxpaying time by executive fiat has broken down the conscience of Arkansas taxpayers in many cases," he said. "If this bill were practicable and were put into effect, it would upset the whole financial program of the state. I have heard no demand for it in my section."

Apprehension as to possible effect of the bill on the state's present and proposed bond refunding programs was expressed by several speakers opposing the bill. Senator Martin said that if automobile license fees were the only source of revenue for highway debt refunding, this phase of the matter might be important, but that only about one-fourth of the highway revenue comes from this source.

Carnival Friday at Hope High School

Amateur Contests Among Features of Student Program at 7:30

The annual Hope High School carnival sponsored by the student council, will be held Friday night at 7:30.

There will be varied concessions in the home rooms and clubs. The finale will be an amateur contest in the main auditorium. A first prize of \$3 will be given to the winner contestant. Two additional cash prizes will be awarded.

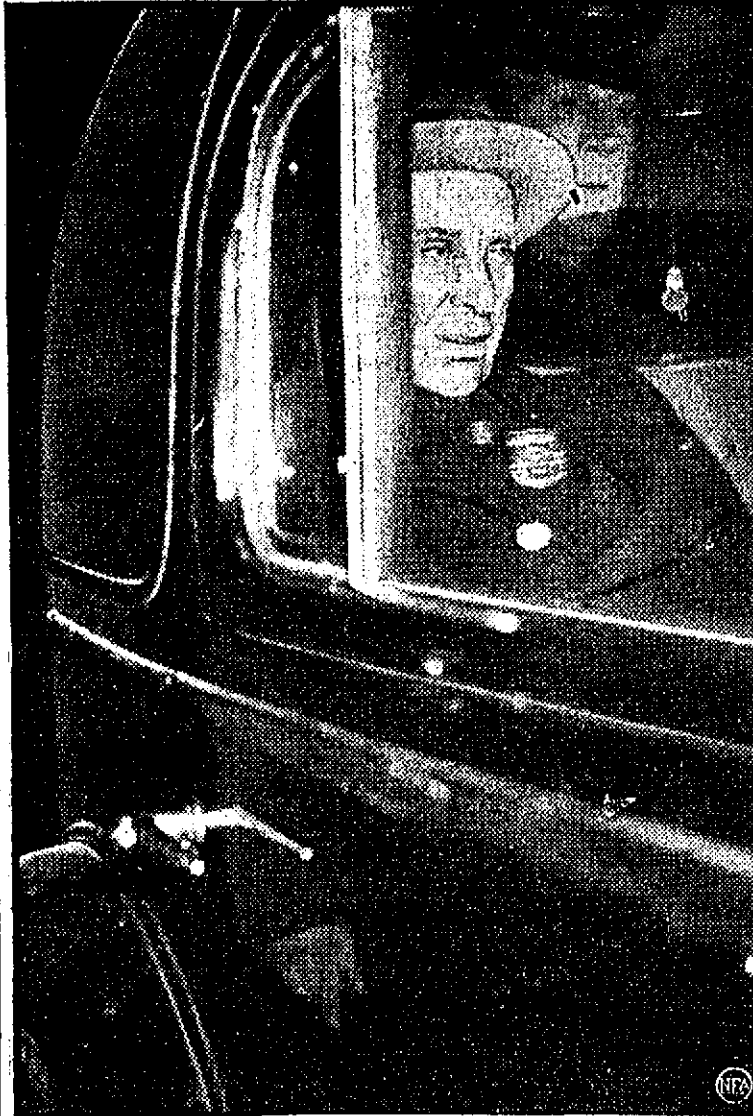
An employee of the U. S. Bureau of Plant Industry has developed a hybrid potato with a smooth skin, good flavor, and a cream color.

A THOUGHT

Then said he unto them, Nation shall rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom.

—St. Luke 21:10.

Is That 'The Law' Behind Sloan?



The contention of General Motors officials that they have the law on their side, even though strikers refuse to budge from G. M. plants, was given fanciful support by an odd and wholly accidental trick of the camera when this picture was made. It shows Alfred F. Sloan, Jr., General Motors president, his face plainly showing his concern, as he left his Broadway office amidst the boos of U. A. W. pickets. Altogether by chance, the photograph caught the reflection of a policeman who escorted Sloan to his car and appears to place the officer's badge on the G. M. executive's own coat lapel.

New Conference on Strike Is Called

Michigan Governor Summons Both Sides in Auto Plant Controversy

DETROIT, Mich. — (AP) — Governor Frank Murphy resumed his efforts to find a basis for the solution of the paralyzing General Motors strikes Thursday as he called to a conference table representatives of the corporation, the United Automobile Workers union, and the Committee for Industrial Organization.

As on Wednesday, the conference chambers were closely guarded by city and state police Thursday.

It was learned authoritatively that Governor Murphy was seeking to arrange a truce period during which final settlement negotiations might be carried on.

Soil Conservation Withstands Rain

Earth Work Gets Real Test During Rainiest January in History

Field inspections on the farms of co-operators with the Bodewick Creek Project of the Soil Conservation Service show that the work which has been done by the co-operators and service to date has successfully withstood the all-time record of rainfall for the month of January, which totals 13.25 inches. This is the highest recorded rainfall for the month of January since 1840.

This amount of rainfall is 269 per cent above the January monthly average for the 96-year period for which records are available or is equal to the combined average monthly rainfall for the months of January, February, and March.

The soil throughout the erosion control area was super-saturated at the beginning of the year since the rainfall for the month of December, 1936 was 45 per cent above the average rainfall for December—being a total of 6.35 inches.

Only a limited amount of maintenance work will be required in a few places on freshly constructed terraces, terrace outlet channels, and meadow strips where the supporting vegetation had not become established with sufficient growth to complement the mechanical structures.

Keeps Zoo For Fun

MANCHESTER, Ia. — (AP) — Lindsey Barr keeps a small menagerie on his farm "just for fun." So far he has collected two Canadian beavers, eight head of buffalo, eleven longhorn brahma steers and three species of live birds.

Hope Schools in Retrenchment for Second Semester

Eight-Month Term for First Six Grades—Seven Months for Negroes

REVENUE IS SHORT

Forced Back to Original Budget of \$43,000—Was \$66,000 in 1929

After operating tentatively on a nine-month basis through the first semester Hope School Board Wednesday night retrenched its plans for the second semester in order to stay within its cash income.

The second-semester for white schools through the sixth grade will be shortened to a basis of eight months; while the second-semester for negro schools will be shortened to a basis of seven months.

The school board announcement said that Hope's educational plant had at the beginning of the school year last fall an estimated annual revenue of approximately \$43,000, which would provide only a seven-month budget. It was decided, however, to operate on a nine-month basis at least through the first semester, in the hope that revenues would increase somewhat—and then retrench if necessary at mid-year.

The board decided Wednesday night that retrenchment was necessary. Operating expenses through the first four and a half months were \$23,856—or at the rate of \$47,000 for a full nine-month term.

The retrenchment for the second semester brings total yearly operating expense within operating income as reported to the board at mid-year.

The board pointed out that operating expenses had been drastically reduced since the 1929-30 period. In that period the operating budget stood at \$66,018, against a tentative budget of \$47,000 for the current year, which the board was forced to abandon, falling back on the actual budget of \$43,000.

Teachers' salaries today are only 70 per cent of 1929-30; and there are eight less teaching positions in the Hope schools, notwithstanding the fact that the number of school children has increased 25 per cent, the board said.

Quarter-Million Fire in Cincinnati

Furniture Factory and Art Wood Plant Destroyed Early Thursday

CINCINNATI, Ohio. — (AP) — Flames which for a time threatened a large section of west end Cincinnati destroyed the Stille & Duhmeier furniture factory and retail store rooms, and the Art Wood Turning & Scroll Co. plant here early Thursday with a loss officially estimated between \$250,000 and \$300,000.

A Centennial for Self-Cleaning Plow

Blacksmith John Deere Made Prairie Farm Invention Back in 1837

MOLINE, Ill. — (AP) — The self-scouring steel plow's centennial is being observed here this year.

The frontiersmen of 1837 found so much soil clinging to the moldboard and shares of their cast-iron plow that they were spending more time cleaning their plows than in plowing.

Blacksmith John Deere heard the complaint time and time again after his arrival at Grand Detour, Ill., in 1836 from Vermont. Finally he got a broken steel saw from the settlement settler. It was a shiny piece of steel, highly polished by friction with wood. He set to work and from this broken saw he fashioned a new share and moldboard and carved a wooden beam and handles.

Deere took it across the Rock river to a field owned by Lewis Crandall. It was spring and the soil was gummy. Crandall hitched a horse to the plow and settlers gathered to watch the demonstration. Deere guided the plow while Crandall drove the horse.

The plow bit into the earth. Soil curbed from the moldboard. Nutty grass furrows were turned—the share and the moldboard remained clean.

A plow that would scour itself, one made of steel, had been found and it made possible the cultivation of prairie land.

The business launched then in Deere's blacksmith shop and later moved to Moline, where it is headed now by his great grandson Charles Deere Winan, has grown into one of the largest enterprises of its kind in the world.

1937 Opens With the Wettest January in County's History

Interesting Weather Information for Hempstead County, Including Averages and Extreme Fluctuations.

TABLE 1. Rainfall Information												
Weather Item	No. Yrs. Recorded	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Av. or extreme
Av. monthly and annual rainfall, inches	60	4.92	4.00	5.07	5.27	5.21	3.78	4.32	3.37	3.20	3.38	4.41
Driest month in history		69	40	1.33	35	1.00	32	18	08	37	0.00	.19
Year	65	1893	1841	1916	1887	1856	1896	1924	1925	1871	1934	1903
Wettest month in history		13.04	14.50	12.27	13.69	16.00	10.28	19.50	14.90	11.89	13.98	11.30
Year	65	1937	1840	1894	1840	1854	1928	1849	1857	1923	1919	1843
Average no. days .01 inches or more rainfall	37	9	8	9	9	9	8	8	7	6	6	7
Greatest 24 hour rainfall	59	7.13	2.95	6.92	4.57	6.61	4.42	6.75	5.51	4.65	4.83	4.05
Average monthly and annual snowfall	28	1.00	.80	.30	Trace	.00	.00	.00	.00	Trace	.20	.40

TABLE 2. Temperature Information												
Average temperature	24	45.2	48.3	57.0	63.9	71.1	78.8	81.4	82.2	76.5	65.8	64.3
Av. Maximum temperature	24	55.6	58.8	68.1	75.7	82.3	89.9	92.4	94.0	88.7	78.2	65.1
Av. minimum temperature	24	34.7	37.8	45.8	52.1	59.9	67.6	70.5	70.4	64.3	53.4	62.9
Highest temp. in history	50	88.0	85.0	95.0	97.0	98.0	106.0	115.0	111.0	108.0	98.0	83.0
Lowest temp. in history	50	-8.0	-10.0	15.0	27.0	38.0	45.0	54.0	52.0	41.0	28.0	6.00

TABLE 3. Frost and Growing Season Information		
38	Average date of last killing frost in the spring	March 20
38	Average date of first killing frost in the fall	November 8
38	Average length of growing season (varies from 202 to 276 days)	233 days
38	Latest date of last killing frost in the spring	April 17, 1921
38	Earliest date of killing frost in the fall	October 13, 1906

The information contained in this table was obtained from official government weather reports.

But All-Time Record for a Single Month Was Set by July, 1849, With 19.50 Inches

Prepared by: G. W. Ware, Assistant Director in Charge, Fruit & Truck Branch Experiment Station

Some years ago, Mark Twain said "Everyone talks about the weather, but no one does anything about it." Today, the weather is the chief topic of conversation in Hempstead county and the world over. This is particularly true during periods of extreme temperatures, rainfalls, and weather hazards including snowfalls, cyclones, floods and dust storms. Naturally, the weather is a vital topic, as it has a very direct bearing on the health, temperament and general welfare of individuals and communities.

Weather history is always in the making, but unusual things must happen in Hempstead county to break records, as this county has some of the oldest weather data in Arkansas.

For example, 1936 was unbearably hot and dry with a maximum temperature of 113 and a rainfall of only 34.33 inches. No records were broken, however, as the previous maximum temperature was 115 degrees, and 32.1 inches of rain fell in 1924 and only 29.2 inches in 1896.

Wettest January

January, 1937, with a rainfall of 13.04 inches did set an all-time record for that month; but in July 1849, 19.50 inches of rain fell.

The first weather records in Arkansas were started at Washington in 1803 by Dr. N. D. Smith, who (according to the Centennial Edition of Hope Star) made the following report in that year to the Smithsonian:

"Washington, Ark., Nov. 1, 1803

"Honorable Joseph Henry, Secretary of Smithsonian Institution.

"Dear Sir, Secretary of Smithsonian Institution:

"Herewith you will receive my report for October past. I regret much that neither my leisure nor habits permit me to make the Report so full as may be desirable. I am not always able to distinguish the difference of clouds, even by the help of the diagrams, and as for the higher and lower clouds we seldom have but use of that work every day with ease and at a clean profit. While now nearly a year has passed since I transmitted to you my manuscript.

"This correspondence is definitely closed.

"Nathan Douglas Smith."

"Evidently (quoting the Centennial Edition of the Hope Star) Dr. Smith and the Smithsonian Institution arrived at an agreement and he furnished them with a full weather report daily 37 years later from 1840 to 1880 or until his death. This authentic record is now in the Smithsonian Institution and so far as can be ascertained is the first authentic weather report ever kept in Arkansas."

Weather Observers

Official records which are included in this report were kept continuously by Dr. Smith at Washington from 1840 to 1880. Apparently the Civil War interrupted about 1861, and weather records were not regularly resumed until 1887 at which time Judge A. H. Carrigan became the official reporter. Judge Carrigan served in this capacity at Washington until 1903 at which time he moved his family and weather equipment to Hope, continuing his services as official reporter until 1908. Official records are absent from 1908 until 1915 at which time N. P. O'Neal was designated as the official reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Neal kept weather records at Hope without interruption until 1936 at which time they asked the United States Weather Bureau to transfer this responsibility to the University of Arkansas Fruit and Truck Branch Experiment Station which has one of the most complete weather stations in the State. It is interesting to note that each of these weather observers kept the records for 20 or more years. They deserve a great deal of credit for reading the instruments twice daily and making weekly and monthly reports to the government, without remuneration.

Although complete weather stations have instruments for recording wind velocity and direction, evaporation, air pressure, and relative humidity, the average person is chiefly interested in rainfall and temperatures.

"Greatest" Figures

Table 1 gives averages and extremes on rainfall in Hempstead county. It is (Continued on page six)

Beleaguered City Believed Safe as River Drops a Bit

Recession Is only 2/100ths of a Foot, But It Spreads Happiness

DANGER NOT OVER

Crest Is Approaching Arkansas, and 12-Day Battle Is at Hand

CAIRO, Ill. — (AP) — The Ohio river's menacing grasp on Cairo's staunch seawall slipped Thursday by a pitifully small margin, two-hundredths of a foot, but this meager recession strengthened the city's claim of victory in its fight against inundation.

The blasting open of the Bird's Point (New Madrid, Mo.) floodway cut down the Ohio's stage at one point during its threatening rise, but Thursday's fall was the first from natural causes since the river went over the flood level January 10.

There was no relaxing in the vigilant watch of the city's flood fighters. Their guard against disaster along the levee may last for 12 days or more.

58 Feet at Helena

LITTLE ROCK — (AP) — Waterbound eastern Arkansas awaited behind sand-bagged parapets Thursday the wind-churned crest of the Mississippi flood waters.

The stream reached 58 feet—14 feet above flood stage—on Thursday, showing an overnight rise of four-tenths of a foot.

Minute relief preparations have been made by U. S. Army and Red Cross officials as precautionary measures for any direct emergency, but Army engineers optimistically predicted a general holding of the waterfront levee system.

Crest Nearing Cairo

MEMPHIS, Tenn. — (AP) — The Mississippi river received the full load of the Ohio's flood waters Wednesday and the defense stiffened along the 1,000-mile levee line from Cairo to New Orleans.

"Tension relaxed at Cairo as crest waters flowed by with fully three feet of freeboard left on the city's flood defenses," Lieut. Col. Eugene Reynolds, district United States engineer, declared. "The tide is ebbing," he said, "but it appears in every flood, is behaving. The city was cheered Wednesday night by reports that the Ohio has fallen 10 feet at Paducah, one day's flow from Cairo."

"The Cairo gauge registered 59.59 feet at 6 p. m. It has been stationary at that point since 9 a. m. The gauge at Hickman, Ky., has been on a stand at 51.38 since 8 p. m. Tuesday night, and New Madrid's gauge has been stationary at 47.94 feet since 8 a. m."

On all sides came reports that levees in the billion-dollar embankment system held fast against the big stream, swollen beyond any previous heights. A force of 120,000 workers continued to lighten and reinforce the levees.

"The action of the Cairo gauge," said Colonel Reynolds, "gives almost positive evidence that peak waters have arrived."

Rise at Memphis

Even a victory at Cairo would be just the beginning of the long fight to hold the river until the crest stages have reached the Gulf of Mexico.

Memphis had exactly 49 feet of water on the engineer's gauge at 4 p. m. Wednesday, a rise of 50 feet in 24 hours. The maximum velocity of the waters was 13 feet per second. The Helena gauge registered 57.78 feet, a rise of .46 in 24 hours.

"Throughout the Memphis district as river stages rise," Colonel Reibold said, "sand boils and seepage become more general. Sand boils especially are apt to become more numerous as high stages are prolonged. Maintenance crews, well supplied with materials, are giving sand boils and seepage immediate attention."

Reibold said that a crevasse in the old levee loop at Blue Lake, 17 miles below Memphis in Arkansas, had appeared, as expected. The water filled a small reservoir and stood against a new levee, up to grade and in good condition.

"Levee Board engineers on the Mississippi side cut three five-foot holes a similar levee loop at Rena Lara, Miss., behind which the new levee likewise is in excellent condition," Reibold added.

3 Minor Fire Alarms in City During Week

The Hope Fire department answered three alarms this week, two of which proved to be soot burning in chimneys. The third was a negro house on East Seventh. No damage was reported. Two of the alarms were answered Monday, the third Tuesday.

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS. — (AP) — March cotton opened Thursday at 12.76 and closed at 12.70.

Spot cotton closed steady four points lower, middling 13.30.

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The Family Doctor

Public Health Work Has Stamped Out Disease on Large Scale

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN
Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygiene, the Health Magazine.

Methods of preventing infection may be divided into those used by public health officials to benefit human beings and those employed by the individual.

Public health authorities, for example, control water, food, air, overcrowding, inoculation in times of epidemic, reporting of infectious diseases, disposal of sewage and similar factors.

These public health services have been of the greatest value in stamping out disease on a large scale. As a result of such work, yellow fever, for example, has been almost entirely wiped out in the world. Typhoid fever has been brought under control by many young doctors never encounter a case.

Cholera and plague are limited to remote places in China and India. Even malaria is gradually disappearing. Epidemics occur but rarely, and when they do, they usually are promptly under control.

The individual may prevent much infection in his own body by particular attention to personal hygiene. A special personal hygiene associated with each infectious disease will be described in this series.

The most important factor in personal hygiene is to keep the health at an optimum at all times. Every person must study his own powers, learn how much rest and how much sleep he needs, and find out how much exercise he may take without becoming unduly exhausted. He must learn the hazards associated with the particular industry in which he works.

He must know when he is eating too much and when too little. He must realize which foods disagree with him, and avoid them.

He must practice a constant general cleanliness in all aspects of his life. All this requires knowledge.

We cannot trust our instincts. Appetite frequently runs away with us, a instinct automatically will protect human beings from disease germs. The

average person fears high places, wild animals, loud noises, and the dark far more than he does disease germs. Yet the last named are far more deadly. Our instincts warn us against visible and audible dangers; they do not warn us against the invisible ones.

Furthermore, our feelings are not to be trusted. Many a man who feels tired really needs exercise. Many a person who is very excited and wants action really needs rest. The eyes may create an appetite for food that is harmful.

Thus, the sensations and emotions of the human body demand a type of mental control which must be trained. Many of the feelings and desires arise from the action of glands which must be understood if they are to be used to best advantage.

It is necessary to study the constitution of the human being and his heredity. We are born with bodies which are the sum of all our ancestors. From our mothers we drive elements which enable us to resist certain infections; other elements may be absent.

There is much that is unknown concerning the ability of the body to resist disease at the time of birth. It often is possible by scientific tests, however, to determine the extent of the resistance and sometimes to supplement it artificially.

In brief, the best type of personal hygiene involves eating a suitable diet, securing a sufficient amount of exercise and sunlight, and getting enough rest to give the tissues of the body opportunity to recuperate from fatigue.

Much infectious disease can be prevented by keeping as clean as possible, taking a bath at least once a day with plenty of soap and water. Thorough washing of the hands with plenty of soap, before and after eating, will prevent the passing of millions of germs from one person to another.

Remember that infectious diseases are spread by contact with persons who have the diseases or who may be recovering from them.

Your Children

By Olive Roberts Barton

Winter Gloom and Illness Menace Make Life Difficult for Mothers

This is a peculiar winter hereabouts. And from reports of weather tables, the muggy, misty warmish days have been wrapping up a bigish fraction of states, in their miasmic breath. Results: flu, pneumonia, colds and a general nameless desuetude that doctors scratch their heads to give a name to.

Combined with this latter unticketed condition is irritability, loss of appetite, low spirits and laziness.

Pity the teacher, trying to instill synthetic heartiness into lessons, and weep for the mother who has to shepherd her flock while feeling as though her own earth has stopped turning.

Weather's "If"

Weather can play hob with family well-being in a dozen ways besides actual health.

"If it would only snow," sighs Mrs. Brown as she drags her tired bones out of bed to gaze into another depressing dawn. "Or else get cold. Or if the sun would only come out."

She worries because Eddie won't eat. He isn't feverish and he has no cold more than average sniffles, but he gets up from the table almost before he's well settled. What he lives on, she does not know.

And George won't sleep. He calls in that he is too hot, and then that he's cold. Last night he was up prowling about a dozen times. And he's twitching that eye again. He is terribly thin.

Baby has a queer sort of cough too. It almost sounds like whooping cough. And Bill comes home so tired that he drops off to sleep on the sofa right

after dinner. She can hardly get him awake to go up to bed.

Chase Worries

Mrs. Brown is going through one of the hardest periods of a young mother's existence. The gray doldrums of winter, with almost everything against her. Fear at its height. Energy at its lowest. No one who understands. The doctor says there is nothing to worry about, as things are now, but she can't take his word for it. Doctors always say that, she argues.

What she needs is some fun and to get her mind away from too close a picture of the family. Yes, she has to keep well, and away from danger of flu or grip, but she ought to be able to think up ways of lightening her spirits, and Bill's too.

If she is less nervous and depressed, the little family worries won't loom so large. They will assert themselves into proper proportions and stay there. Maybe Eddie may eat more if she coaxes less, and George forget his little peculiarities and plays for sympathy. The baby's wheezy cough, to less prejudiced ears, is just the kind she always has. The doctor must be believed.

Mrs. Brown should try to discount the weather as much as possible, except to take precautions concerning health. She can't make it shine and she can't make it snow, but she can get her mind off it by trying the old troubadour, a song and a couple of smiles. And who knows? It may even jolt the Weather Man to better behavior.

Windsor. It had an even more spectacular flare-up a century ago in the case of Charles Stewart Parnell, the great Irish leader—and the English are still paying for it.

You get an excellent look at it in Joan Haslip's fine biography, "Parnell" (Stokes, \$3).

She shows Parnell, brilliant and devoted, playing the game of politics so ably that he at last had the Gladstone government on the verge of

FIRST 'SIGN' OF SPRING



HOLLYWOOD

By Paul Harrison

Difficult Scenes Are Hard on Director's Fingernails.

HOLLYWOOD—All around the lots: W. S. Van Dyke, the gentleman who continually amazes Hollywood with his super-speedy directing methods, is making a scene for the Jean Harlow-Robert Taylor picture, "Man in Possession."

It's a difficult bit of action and things are moving so slowly that Mr. Van Dyke is chewing his fingernails, which he always does when not moving at top speed.

Miss Harlow and Taylor are supposed to walk down a narrow hallway, stopping at intervals to say their lines. This requires what is known as a "trucking shot"—in which the camera and sound boom slide silently along a track as the players move forward.

But it isn't so simple as that. Just when Director Van Dyke thinks everything is ready, his cameraman, Bill Daniels, make a startling discovery.

granting Ireland home rule. Parnell sold Gladstone on it, and sold Ireland as well. At long last, the tragic "Irish question" was about to be settled permanently.

But Parnell had been having a love affair with one Kitty O'Shea, the somewhat flighty wife of a blackmailing scoundrel; and, in just at the wrong moment, O'Shea sued for divorce and named Parnell co-respondent.

Immediately this moral hypocrisy—which made the land of Henry VIII and Charles II gag at Edward VIII's love for Mrs. Simpson—came into play. Gladstone clutched his garments about him and passed by on the other side. Parnell was ruined, and home rule was irretrievably lost.

As a result of all this, the English today have Dr. De Valera on their hands. One hopes they like him.

Miss Haslip has written a really fine book. Parnell emerges as a three-dimensional figure, and the tortuous maze of Anglo-Irish politics becomes clear and vivid. It is well worth your time and money.

There is a mirror in the left background in which Mr. Daniels can see his camera and himself. This is bad, because if Mr. Daniels can see himself in the mirror, he's in the scene.

"All right, let's move the mirror," barks Van Dyke, considerably peeved. He chews madly on the nail of his left thumb. The mirror is removed and once again Van Dyke is ready to shoot the scene. Miss Harlow and Taylor say they know their lines and know just what to do. "Okay, here we go," says Van Dyke.

Another Nail Gues

The camera starts turning, the two players go into their roles, and workmen push the camera and sound boom down the tracks. But again things go awry. Just as Mr. Taylor says something or other to Miss Harlow, there is a crash. Van Dyke scowls, yells "cut!" and starts nibbling on his other thumb-nail.

The crash is caused by workmen who are pushing the sound boom. They pushed a little too hard and struck the camera. "Nuts," says Mr. Van Dyke, clamping his teeth down on the nail of his right index finger. "The way we're going, this picture won't be finished until 1940."

Everything eventually is straightened out, however, and the scene is made to Van Dyke's satisfaction. But he loses three more fingernails worrying about the lack of speed.

Trick of the Trade

Clark Gable is sitting in a chair, petting a big Persian cat, for a scene in "Parnell." He is supposed to be killing time while Myrna Loy, his girl friend, is in another room telling her parents "that man is here again," or something like that.

The cat's acting ability is amazing. It leaps into Gable's lap when he sits down and cuddles up to his neck, trying to lick his chin. The cat is so amazing, in fact, that we inquire around after the scene is finished.

A sheepish prop man lets the cat out of the bag, so to speak. "It was simple," he says. "We just rubbed some

liver on Gable's neck and chin. It's a trick we do every now and then.

That's Off!

They're photographing a big musical number for the Marx brothers' film, "A Day at the Races." It's called "All God's Chillun Got Rhythm," and 70 ebony dancers from Los Angeles' Harlow are really going to town.

The action takes place in a set built to represent a racing stable, and, before the dancing starts, a prop man

Tokio

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Othel Smalling Saturday a son, named James Edward. A. C. Holt and Barney Hultson were business visitors to Nashville Saturday.

Dale Jones and Claud Munn of Hope were here on business Saturday.

Mrs. A. M. McElrath and little son, left Friday to visit relatives at Nashville.

Mr. and Mrs. Dildy Porterfield and little daughter of Mt. Pleasant visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Funnater Saturday. H. R. Holt was a Nashville visitor Saturday.

A. H. Wade of Blovin was a business visitor here Friday.

Lee Funnater was a business visitor to Hope Saturday.

E. T. McHughes of Mt. Pleasant was a Tokio visitor Monday.

Noah Oldner made a business trip to Nashville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Griffith of McCaskill visited Mrs. Griffith's parents Saturday night.

L. H. Conley and Floyd Cooley were in Nashville Monday on business.

George McElrath and son, Otis, visited relatives at Highland Sunday.

goes around and sprinkles water on several bales of hay, to keep down the dust. When Director Sam Wood yells "action," there is plenty of it—the place becomes a madhouse. And modest of the crowd, of course, is Harpo, who spins around and does all kinds of scenery acrobatics.

His dancing is so wild, in fact, that his black silk hat falls off and spoils the scene. That hat, like his hair, is a trademark. So Director Wood says "cut" and a prop man goes in and sticks the hat to Harpo's head with adhesive tape. It's little things like this that count in movietown.

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Hinton

Miss Lucille Hamilton and Jess Cross were married Saturday, January 30. We hope them a happy life together.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Elledge and brothers were called Sunday to the funeral of their great grandfather Elledge at Waldo.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hamilton spent the week end with her parents at Magnolia.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Barr and daughter, Marie, of Houston, Texas are visiting relatives at this place.

Miss Myrtle and Louise Rogers spent Friday night with their grandmother Mrs. Catherine Rogers.

Mrs. Velmer Cagle and daughter, Rose Lee, spent Friday and Saturday night with Mrs. T. R. Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Berlin Jones were Sunday dinner guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Middlebrooks.

Harris Elledge and J. D. Smith were Saturday night guests of Arthur Gibson.

Mrs. Homer Burns was the Friday dinner guest of her mother, Mrs. Catherine Rogers.

Herman Elledge has returned home from the army.

Takes Flying Lessons

HINTON, W. Va.—S. B. Hanner, who didn't learn to drive an automobile until he was 70 years old, has enrolled for a course in flying lessons.

at a Florida airport. He was 80 old January 7.

He wrote his son, Roston, her "If I complete the course, I'll swap the car for a plane, and needn't be surprised if you see us at some vacant pasture near some evening."

WOMAN'S AILMENTS

Mrs. M. C. Ison of W. 18th St., North of the Rock, Ark., said: "Some years ago I became so weak I could not go on my feet. I used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I soon noticed signs of improvement. I took the second bottle and then I could eat more, felt better and was soon enjoying life again." They now at doctor's office. New size, tablets 50c, liquid \$1 & \$1.50.



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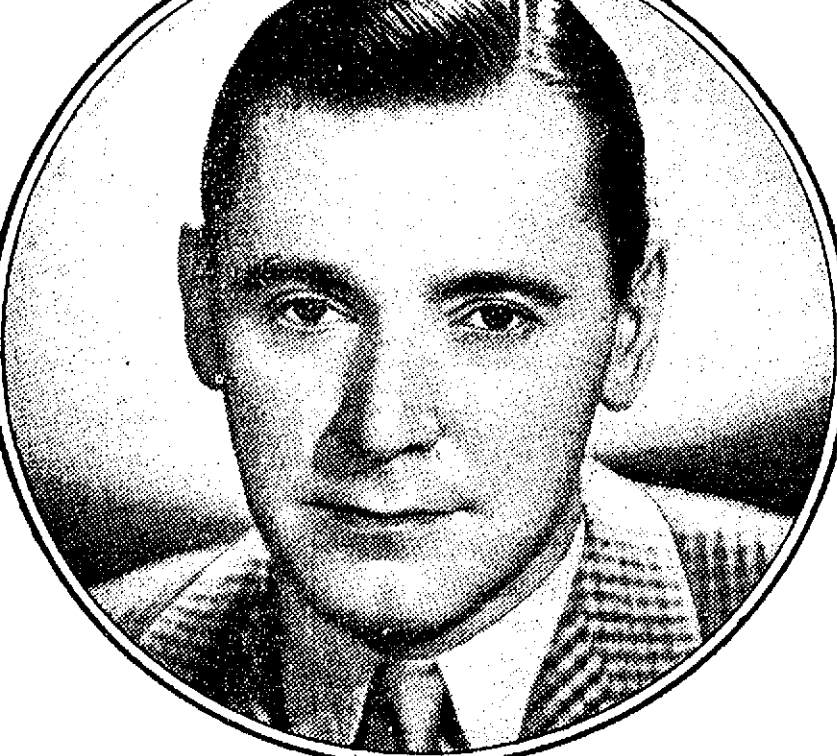
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By Bruce Catton

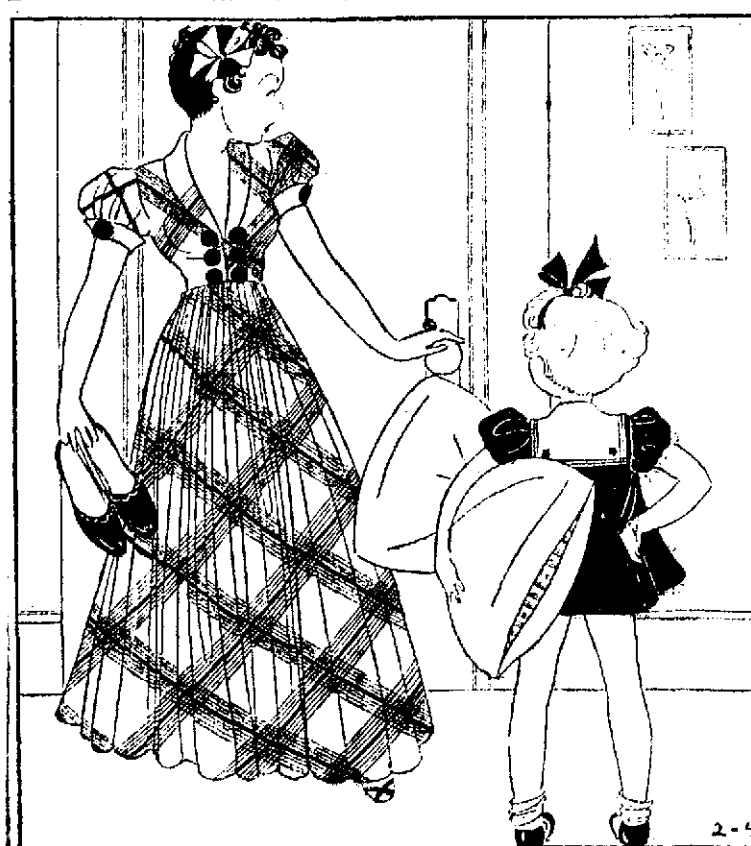
Britain Still Paying for Its Prudishness

That peculiar moral hypocrisy that casts its shadow across public life in England did not appear for the first time in the uproar about Edward

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By Sylvia

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Claws On Wings

CHICAGO—(P)—The Field museum of Chicago is sending Emmet R. Blake into British Guiana, South America, to get a habitat group of the hoatzin bird whose young, with claws on their wings, convince scientists they descend from reptilian ancestors living millions of years ago.

Scientists declare no other bird alive today illustrates this evolutionary trend. The hoatzin is a pheasant-like bird. Only the fledglings have the reptilian claws which they use with agility in climbing into and out of their nests. When danger threatens they headlong into the water beneath the nests and later clamber back unassisted. As they grow older they lose the claws.

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Might stand erect
In self respect,
And share the teeming world tomorrow.
What might be done? This might be done
And more than this, my suffering brother—
More than the tongue
E'er said or sung,
If men were wise and loved each other.
—Selected.

The Woodmen Circle, Poplar Grove, 196, held a most interesting meeting at the Woodmen Hall on Tuesday evening, with a splendid attendance of

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members and several guests. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, February 9th and all members are urged to be present.

The First Methodist church choir will meet for rehearsal Thursday at 7:15 at the home of Mrs. Ralph Routhon, North Pine street.

The Cemetery Association will hold its regular monthly meeting at 2:30 Friday afternoon at the First Methodist church.

The Bay View Reading club studies on Arkansas continue with renewed interest at each meeting. At the regular bi-weekly meeting on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Steve Carrigan Jr., Mrs. Fred R. Harrison presented the program on the Counties of North and East Arkansas including Craighead, Crittenden, Mississippi, Lawrence, Randolph, Woodruff, Jackson and Greene. Giving the principal towns, with Mrs. Ada Swicegood reading a most interesting and informative paper on the products and industries of that particular part of the state, followed by Miss Beryl Henry who discussed the scenery, resorts and play grounds of that region, telling many interesting facts of the Dyess Colony which is located in Mississippi county. (Or was before the recent removal of the colonists on account of the Mississippi valley flood). Mrs. D. B. Thompson closed the program with a very interesting discussion on the Pioneer and Modern Builders, of the different counties and the founding of the towns under discussion. Mrs. E. E. White closed the meeting by announcing that the next meeting would be held on February 17, with Mrs. D. B. Thompson and Mrs. Fred R. Harrison as hostesses and Miss Maggie Bell leader. A most pleasing feature of the social hour was a miscellaneous show-er tendered Miss Maggie Bell, the occasion being in celebration of her birthday anniversary. Miss Bell is a charter member of the club, and the high esteem held for her by the club members was beautifully demonstrated with a shower of lovely gifts. Following her recovery from this delightful surprise, she responded with her usual characteristic and pleasing manner. The Carrigan home was lovely with its graceful arrangement of spring flowers through out the rooms, and a tempting sandwich and salad course was served with Miss Beryl Henry and Mrs. Gus Haynes presiding at the tea table. The decorations and menu stressed the Valentine motif.

The P. T. A. Study Group will meet at 2:30 Friday afternoon at the city hall.

Hope chapter 328, O. E. S. will hold its regular meeting at 7:30 Thursday evening at the Masonic Hall. Mrs. Rosa Maltair, Deputy Grand Lecturer, of District 8, will make her official visit. A full attendance is requested and visitors are welcome.

A wedding announcement that will be of interest to the many friends of the bridegroom in this city is that of

Eclipse of Sun Is Scheduled June 8

But Its Path Lies in Pacific Wastes and Few Will Glimpse It

LICK OBSERVATORY, Mount Hamilton, Calif.—(P)—The longest total eclipse of the sun in more than a century will occur June 8, but to astronomers it is likely to be a total loss.

The sun will be hidden completely for 7 minutes and 4 seconds, nearly an all-time record. Yet, scientists who last year scurried to points all the way from Greece to Japan to study a mere 2-and-a-half-minute eclipse expect to pass this one up.

The reason is that it will follow a nearly landless course through the South Pacific, missing islands as effectively as if guided by a master mariner.

The eclipse will start in the Ellice and Phoenix archipelagoes, near Samoa, where the sun will rise entirely obscured. A rare sight to the layman, this means little to the astronomer because he can't effectively photograph an eclipse close to the horizon.

Mexico to See 'Dent'

As the sun climbs into the sky, the path of totality will cross the South Seas until it reaches Peru. There, near Cuzco, the ancient Inca capital, there will be a totally eclipsed sunset. Hawaii and Mexico will see a partial eclipse and a very slight dent in the sun's disc will be visible in the southwestern United States.

Enderbury Uninhabited

From New Zealand to lonely little Canton island will go one expedition under C. E. Michie to await the eclipse in its 4-minute stage.

Los Angeles' Griffith observatory considered a trip to Christmas island but doubt that the island actually lies in the path of totality has about caused Director Dinwiddie Alter to give up the idea.

The isle most favorably located in the path of totality is Enderbury, an uninhabited atoll in the Phoenix group but there is no anchorage and landing is dangerous.

Flood Relief Fund

(Continued from page one)

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Third Fulton Report	
Gunter Bros.	15.00
Dave Trotter	1.00
Total	\$1,625.05

Out Of Highway

ATLANTA, Ga.—(P)—A "don't crowd the motorist" movement will be launched on the floor of the Georgia general assembly now in session.

It will be in the form of legislation to take the "squeeze" out of the state's trunkline highways—to expand their width from the present 20-foot minimum to one of 30 feet.

If the bill passes the author expresses a hope other states will follow suit.

Miss Dorothy A. Childers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Childers of Rosebud, Texas, to Dwight W. Andres, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Andres of this city. The marriage was solemnized at the home of the officiating minister, Dr. Andrews, pastor of the First Baptist church of Texarkana, Texas, on December 25, 1936. The bride is a graduate of Baylor University, Waco, Texas, and the bridegroom completed his pre-medical work at the same institution. Mr. and Mrs. Andres are at home in Little Rock, Ark., where Mr. Andres is a student at the University of Arkansas Medical College.

Powell Hazard of Hope, junior in the agriculture department of Arkansas State Teachers College at Conway, recently was elected secretary of the Lambda chapter of the Alpha Tau Alpha, national honorary agricultural fraternity. Hazard also is sergeant-at-arms of the Kappa chapter of the Phi Alpha Zeta, national teachers college social fraternity. A member of Company C, 153rd Infantry, Arkansas National Guard, he was called last week for flood duty in eastern Arkansas.

DECORATES DOG DERBY



Kay Barbeau, pretty brunet of Medicine Lodge, Kan., has entered a \$2500 30-mile dog-sledge derby, one of the features of an international winter sports carnival and ski meet at the Polo Grounds, New York, Feb. 20-21-22. The dog is Totem, Miss Kay's lead animal.

The Smithsonian Institution annually receives approximately \$1,044,692 from the government and \$140,000 from endowments.

Spears talked several minutes before he discovered his friend was not at the lumber firm's office, but at another place.

CLUB NOTES

Centerville
The Centerville club met at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Jones Monday, February 1. There were 10 members present and one visitor. Mrs. P. F. Campbell gave the devotional and the Lord's prayer was repeated by all. New leaders were elected for the year.

Clothing leader, Mrs. Autry Goynes; better homes, Mrs. Kenneth Jones; gardening, Mrs. P. F. Campbell; food preservation, Mrs. H. E. Patterson; food preparation, Mrs. Lee Jones; art craft, Mrs. Bailey Jones; poultry, Miss Pearl Sanders; home management, Mrs. Arl Fincher; landscaping, Mrs. G. A. Linaker; recreation leaders, Mrs. Autry Goynes, Mrs. H. E. Patterson; taxation leader, Miss Bullington.

The demonstration was given on basket weaving and rug making.

The hostess served delicious cake and coffee. The next meeting will be with Mrs. P. F. Campbell, Monday, March 1.

The club will give a cake walk at the school house Friday night, February 12.

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Colonel Ruppert Lashes Holdouts

Boss of New York Yankees Storms at Gehrig and Gomez

NEW YORK.—(AP)—In the spacious reception room of his big brewery on Third avenue, Colonel Jacob Ruppert spoke his piece on baseball holdouts Wednesday. And he had plenty to say.

Aroused by what he termed "unreasonable demands," the New York Yankee club-owner aimed punch after punch at Lou Gehrig and Lefty Gomez, whom he accused of wrecking the club's pennant chances in 1935 by their barnstorming tour of Japan.

"Gehrig comes to my office, contract in hand, and says he ought to get more than \$31,000 next season," the colonel opened up on his star first baseman. "He doesn't say a word about his poor season in 1935 when he got \$31,000, too. He doesn't mention that he made more than \$5,000 in the world series. All he could remember was what he did last year."

"So I told him about it, refreshed his memory. I told him we were just getting back some of the money we lost in the lean years and that if he and Gomez hadn't gone to Japan, we would have won the 1935 pennant. He hasn't much to say but he leaves his contract."

"Gomez, he's got a lot of nerve saying we offered him a bat boy's salary. He's lucky we didn't cut him worse than we did. After he got back from Japan, he couldn't pitch up a daisy. He did a poor job in 1935 and not much better last season. Still we paid him well. Humph."

Powell Takes "Cake"

The colonel said Jake Powell, Yankees world series hitting hero, "beats them all. He calls my attention to the number of hits he made all in the world series. That's a laugh. On that basis, what about poor Dickey, he made only three hits to Powell's 10. I suppose, then, I should pay Powell three times as much as I pay Dickey."

With that, the colonel, steaming up faster and faster, went back to Gehrig. "I notice he threw a cocktail party for you newspaper fellows the other day, or rather his press agent manager, not Joe McCarthy, did. Tells you he's going to go after Cobb's and Ruth's records, and play 2500 consecutive games. Who cares about records? Fans go to see a ball game. It's what a play is today that counts."

The trouble with most ball players says the colonel, is that they don't realize they've been paid for what they did last season and that a ball club takes a gamble on contracting to pay them so much in advance.

"Another thing they don't seem to realize," he stated, "was that we spend a lot of money to win that pennant. It's worth thousands of dollars to the players to sign a Yankee contract. We're always in the race. The players always get some out of the world series money."

How about 1937 chances? "If I sign up all my ball players—and I'm not going to be easy this time—we should run away with the pennant," said the colonel. "We've got a lot of great young fellows coming up."

Schmeling Takes Luster From Louis

Rumor Jim to Be Paid \$500,000 to Fight Joe Too Good to Be True

By HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Sports Writer

NEW YORK.—When Jim Braddock, fresh from relief, got his big break against Max Baer and his sore hands, he remarked that it was too good to be true.

It wasn't, but that from rags-to-riches stuff still is fiction to Braddock. A mighty small share of the swing dropped into the lap of other heavy-weight champions has come the Irishman's way in the 20 months that he has worn the crown that was supposed to be worth a million.

Indeed, Braddock, the most stupidly managed heavyweight champion in history, never before has been so heavily in debt. He owes the Garden \$12,000 and Mike Jacobs as much or more. Of course, he will bail himself out nicely when he again goes to the wars, but right now he is worse off than when he was wrestling those ties on the Weehawken docks.

Now they're telling Braddock that he is to be guaranteed \$500,000 for fighting Joe Louis 15 rounds in Chicago, June 15. That also is too good to be true. Jersey Jim's only hope is that the hullabaloo over the move to squeeze out Max Schmeling will make the public forget that the next world heavyweight championship fight is to be a meeting of shopworn warriors.

Joe Gould, manager of Braddock, made his big mistake when he insisted on his charge standing idly by while Schmeling removed much of the luster from Louis. Bob Pastor didn't make the negro appear any more attractive the other night. Louis will still draw money, but not the kind that Braddock could have collected with him last June.

A Contract is a Contract

It may be true that there is no such a thing as a moral obligation in boxing, but a contract is a contract, and unless some federal judge smashes precedent to a pulp, Braddock will be forced to fulfill his agreement to meet Schmeling in New York, June 3.

I doubt that it makes much difference to Braddock now, anyway. With the mask of invincibility removed from Louis, it is questionable whether Braddock would draw more money with Smokey Joe in Chicago than he would in fighting Schmeling in New York, anti-Nazi boycott or no.

The big blow in Chicago is nothing more than a frenzied attempt by Mike Jacobs, the Hearst newspapers' prize fight department, and the Louis camp to beat Schmeling and Madison Square to the first crack at Braddock.

Like a lot of other close observers, Jacobs, the other directors of the Hearst A. C., and the handlers of Louis believe that either their man or Schmeling will knock out the bloated Braddock of 1937.

Winning the championship Louis would give Jacobs and the Hearst A. C. permanent possession of the title. Each contender would have to consent to defend it under their auspices.

That has been the Garden's method since that corporation was brought into being by the promotional genius of Tex Rickard.

Hence the summoning of the Garden's large legal battery to head off the assault from Chicago.

I don't know who'd put up \$500,000 for Braddock to scrap Louis. Such a figure might be made possible by Louis boxing for the opportunity and exercise, and Jacobs and the heads of the Hearst A. C., who have made plenty out of Louis one way and another, making up the difference on a gamble.

Braddock Tightly Bound

But, surely, Jacobs and the Hearst A. C. remember as far back as 1931, when Primo Camera, signed by the Garden to tackle the winner, attempted to break his contract for the purpose of tackling Jack Sharkey for Jimmy Johnston before the Schmeling-Young Stribling engagement in Cleveland.

A federal judge told da Preem to mark time, which he did until it was positive that the Garden could not produce Schmeling.

That judge had much more excuse for releasing Camera than another would have for permitting Braddock

CONFIDENTIAL REPORT

CRIME FILE ON BOLITHO BLANE

BEGIN HERE TODAY
BOLITHO BLANE, British passenger, disappeared from yacht owned by his principal competitor, CARLTON ROCKSavage, of Miami. A note found in Blane's cabin addressed to his secretary NICHOLAS STODART, indicates suicide since he faced bankruptcy. A memo written by Stodart shows Blane's company stock, ARBUS SUDS, closing at a new low that day.

Other passengers aboard yacht GOLDEN GULL are MISS FERRI ROCKSavage, Rock's daughter, LADY WELTER, HIGGINAD, JOCELYN, MRS. JOCELYN, Lady Welter's daughter and son-in-law, the BISHOP of BISHOP, COUNT LUIGI POSODINI, and NICHOLAS STODART, Detective Officer KETTERING, boarding yacht at Miami, and strange marks on Blane's cabin carpet and blood on curtain. Upon examination, Rocksavage admits investigation of their companies. Mr. and Mrs. Jocelyn reveal Lady Welter and Stodart, interested in Rocksavage stocks. The Bishop is questioned. While he talks, Stodart enters the room. The Bishop collapses in his chair.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY
CHAPTER VIII
DETECTIVE OFFICER NEAME'S SHORTHAND NOTES OF DETECTIVE OFFICER KETTERING'S EXAMINATION OF MR. INOSUKE HAYASHI.

K. Good morning, Mr. Hayashi. Just sit down and answer a few questions, will you?

H. Certainly.

K. Will you give me your movements please from the time you came on board this yacht until you went in to dinner last night.

H. Oh, yes. I came on board from a launch at 4:30 yesterday afternoon. After visiting my cabin I had tea with my host and some of the other guests. About 10 past six I went down to my cabin again to do some work, and remained there until after I had changed for dinner.

At 8:15 I came into the lounge, where I found the bishop and Lady Welter, whom I had met at tea. The latter introduced me to Mr. Stodart whom I had not seen before.

(FROM THIS POINT INOSUKE HAYASHI'S STATEMENT CONFIRMS THAT OF THE OTHERS.)

K. Now, I'd like to know the reason for your coming on this trip.

H. At the invitation of Mr. Rocksavage. We are business friends—it is nice to meet each other—and enjoy the pleasures of such excellent company upon his very beautiful yacht.

K. Now, that won't do, and the sooner you come clean with me the better. This pleasure trip was a blind to cover a big business deal between Rocksavage and Blane. You're going to tell me just what part you were going to play in that.

H. I tell you anything you like. When I say that it is a pleasure trip I speak truthfully, but I have already said that I was a business friend of Mr. Rocksavage, too. When business men are together, even for pleasure, their conversation is of their business also, most of the time, as I have frequently observed.

K. You knew, then, that business would come under discussion?

H. Certainly I knew that.

K. Well, let's hear the part you were going to play in it.

H. I have the honor to act for the Shikoku Products Company, which is associated with my government. Shikoku handles various commercial concessions for the ministry of the interior and one of these has to do with the supply of soap to the armed forces and also civil services of Japan. This monopoly is of considerable value and Shikoku hoped to raise a loan of 10 to 12 million dollars on it.

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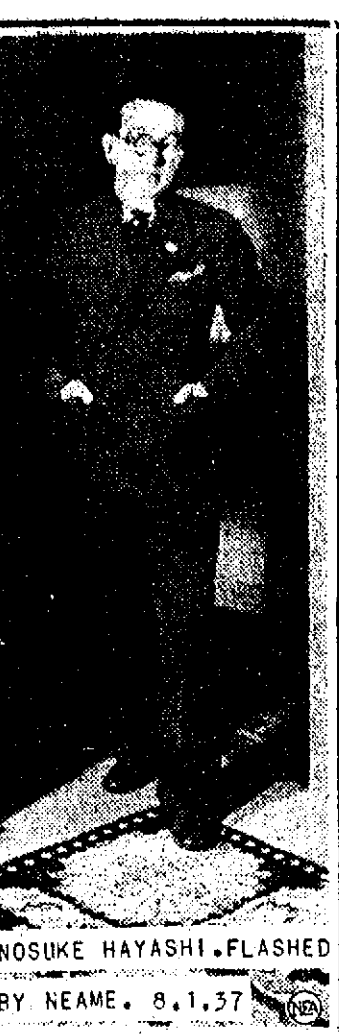
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P. Fire away, friend, fire away!

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INOSUKE HAYASHI, FLASHED BY NEAME, 8.1.37

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K. And you were about to sell this monopoly to either Rocksavage or Blane?

H. That is so. I have been negotiating by correspondence with both for some time. A fortnight ago, however, Mr. Rocksavage cabled me that negotiations could go no further until after a conference he proposed to hold on this date. He suggested that I should join the party and said that, if I did so, he had every reason to believe that the affair might be concluded to the satisfaction of all concerned. I sailed from San Francisco to Panama and from there I came overland to join his yacht at Miami.

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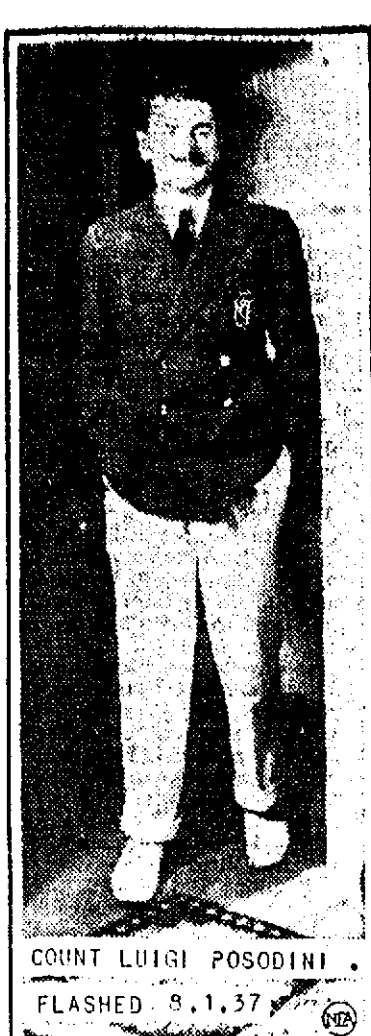
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By Dennis Wheatley

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Jocelyn who asked me if I'd like to come along for a few days' sunshine and big-game fishing.

K. How long have you known Jocelyn?

P. I met him coming over on the Normandie, and later developed the acquaintance in New York.

K. Thank you, Count. That'll do for the present.

DETECTIVE OFFICER NEAME'S SHORTHAND NOTES OF DETECTIVE OFFICER KETTERING'S EXAMINATION OF THE LOUNGE STEWARD, JACK CANE.

K. Come in, Cane, I just want to ask you a few questions about what occurred last night.

C. Yes, sir.

K. How long have you been in the employ of Mr. Rocksavage?

C. A year and three months, sir.

K. What were you doing before that?

C. I was third barman at the Biltmore in New York. I did eighteen months there and before that I was at the Sporting Club in Havana, doing lounge waiter.

K. That's all right; now, I want you to tell me all that you can remember about which guests came and went from the lounge from the time of the ship's sailing until they went in to dinner last night.

(CANE'S STATEMENT CONFIRMS THE TIMES OF ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF THE GUESTS FROM THE LOUNGE, AS GIVEN BY THEMSELVES BETWEEN THE TIME OF SAILING AT 7:05 AND THEIR GOING IN TO DINNER AT 8:40.)

K. Were you in the lounge the whole of that time?

C. Yes, I was there the whole time, sir, as they kept me pretty busy mixing drinks, except, of course, for two brief absences between 7:40 and 7:45. Mr. Stodart took down some figures from the notice board in his pocket book, tore out the leaf and asked me to take it down to Mr. Blane's cabin. I knocked and there was no reply, so I took it up again, and then Mr. Stodart remarked that Mr. Blane was probably in his bath, so he sent me down with it again and told me to slip it under Mr. Blane's door which I did.

K. That'll do. You can go now.

DETECTIVE OFFICER NEAME'S SHORTHAND NOTES OF DETECTIVE OFFICER KETTERING'S SECOND EXAMINATION OF THE HONORABLE REGINALD JOCELYN.

K. Sorry to bother you again Mr. Jocelyn, but I understand that Count Posodini joined this party at your invitation.

J. Yes, that's right.

K. Now, what part does he play in this business deal which Rocksavage, Blane and the Jap contemplated putting through?

J. None at all. He doesn't know anything about it.

K. Why did you ask him then?

J. Because he's a nice fellow and I thought it would give the gathering more the appearance of a pleasure trip to have someone there who didn't know anything about the business which was contemplated.

K. I see. How long have you known him?

J. About five weeks. I met him coming over in the Normandie.

K. Thanks, Mr. Jocelyn. That's all for the moment.

(To Be Continued)

Save this installment as evidence to help you solve the crime.

Bobeats to Play Lewisville Here

Admission Price Reduced for Game at Hope Thursday Night

The Hope High School basketball team will be seeking revenge for its only defeat of this season when the team meets the strong Lewisville Independent squad on the high school floor here at 7:30 p. m. Thursday.

The Bobcats took a 29 to 23 drubbing at Lewisville last week, the only setback of the season. Hope previously had beaten Lewisville.

Cochran Foy Hammons lowered the admission price to 5 and 15 cents in hopes of obtaining a large crowd. Wilson, former Bendix college star, is the outstanding player on the Lewisville team.

The Bobcats last Tuesday night defeated the Emmet Independents at Hope, 44 to 21.

O'Rourke Will Manage El Dorado Club Again

EL DORADO.—Frank O'Rourke, who pitched the El Dorado team to a 1936 Cotton States League championship, will return to El Dorado as manager of the 1937 club, Jim Griffith, president of the El Dorado Baseball association, announced Wednesday.

O'Rourke whose home is at Elizabethtown, N. J., telegraphed Griffith that El Dorado in March.

Porkers Will Play 10 Football Games

Will Open Season at Fayetteville Against Oklahoma Team

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark.—Coach Fred Thomsen announced the 1937 football schedule for the University of Arkansas Razorbacks, which included three home games, one at Memphis, one at Fort Smith and one at Little Rock. The schedule:

September 25—Central Oklahoma Teachers, here.

October 2—Texas Christian University, here.

October 9—Baylor University, Waco.

October 15—Texas University, Austin.

October 23—Southern Methodist, at Fort Smith.

October 30—Texas A. & M., at Fayetteville (Homecoming).

November 6—Rice Institute, at Houston.

November 13—Mississippi, at Memphis.

November 20—George Washington, at Little Rock.

November 25—Tulsa University, Tulsa.

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11. Preposition.

13. Self.

14. Speedily.

15. Ascended.

17. To accomplish.

18. Theater platform.

19. Heavenly body.

20. Agents.

21. To oscillate.

22. Before Christ.

23. Southeast.

24. Bell sound.

25. Hurray!

26. Lump of coal.

27. Sea eagle.

28. Doves' home.

29. Kimono sash.

30. Note in scale.

31. Authority.

32. Encountered.

33. Made bare.

34. Pair.

35. Foreboded.

38. To border on.

41. Drives.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

18. Therefore.

19. Aquatic bird.

20. Opposed to credit.

21. Withered.

22. Moderated.

23. Grave.

24. He is a concert.

25. Propelled by oars.

26. He is also a.

28. Apple centers.

31. Switchboard compartment.

33. Madhouse.

36. Department.

37. Tendon.

38. Line on which a body revolves.

39. Wagers.

40. You and me.

42. Fodder vat.

44. Mooly apple.

45. Senior.

46. Membranous bag.

48. Lava.

49. Postscript.

VERTICAL

1. Proverb.

16. Either.

2. Since.

3. Company.

4. Husband or wife.

5. Armadillo.

6. Scolds.

7. Frozen water.

8. Northeast.

9. Deadly.

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11. Like.

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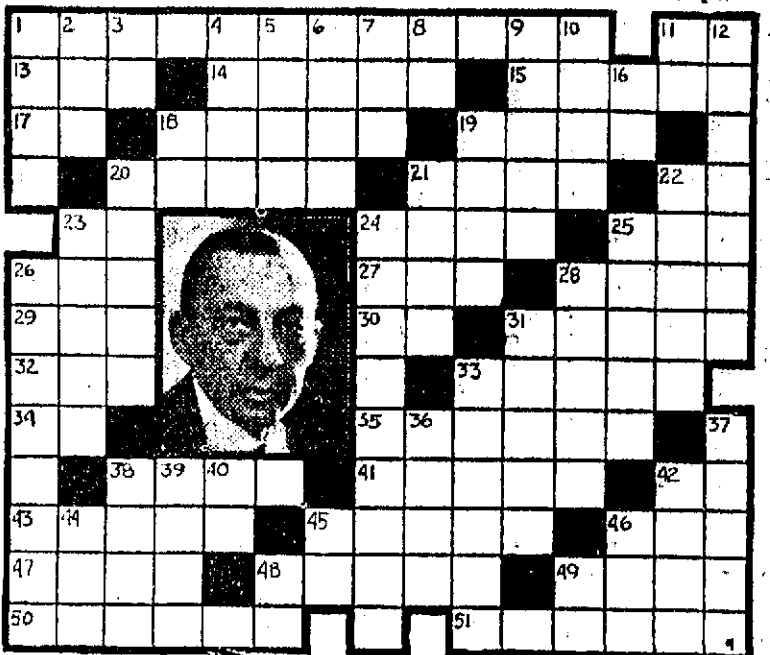
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Rhoda Parsons, Lilla Porterfield, J. C. Parsons, Jewel Parsons and John Parsons Plaintiffs vs. Farmers Royalty Holding Company, A Corporation, and G. T. Blankenship Defendants.

The Defendants, Farmers Royalty Holding Company, A Corporation and G. T. Blankenship are warned to appear in this court within thirty days and answer the complaint of the Plaintiffs, Rhoda Parsons, Lilla Porterfield, J. C. Parsons, Jewel Parsons and John Parsons.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court this 1st day of February 1937.

(SEAL)

Ralph Bailey, Clerk.

Feb. 4, 11, 18, 25.

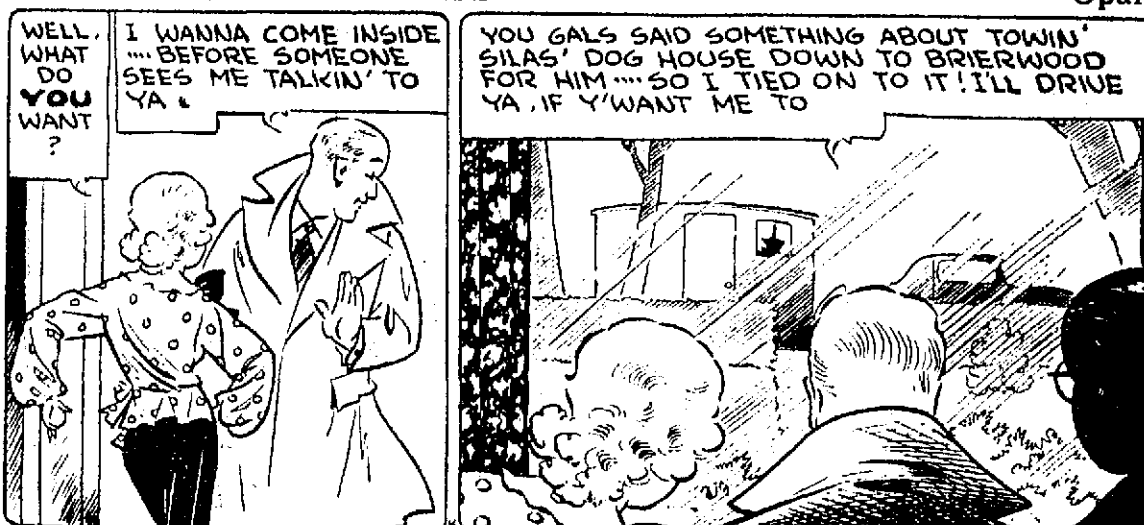
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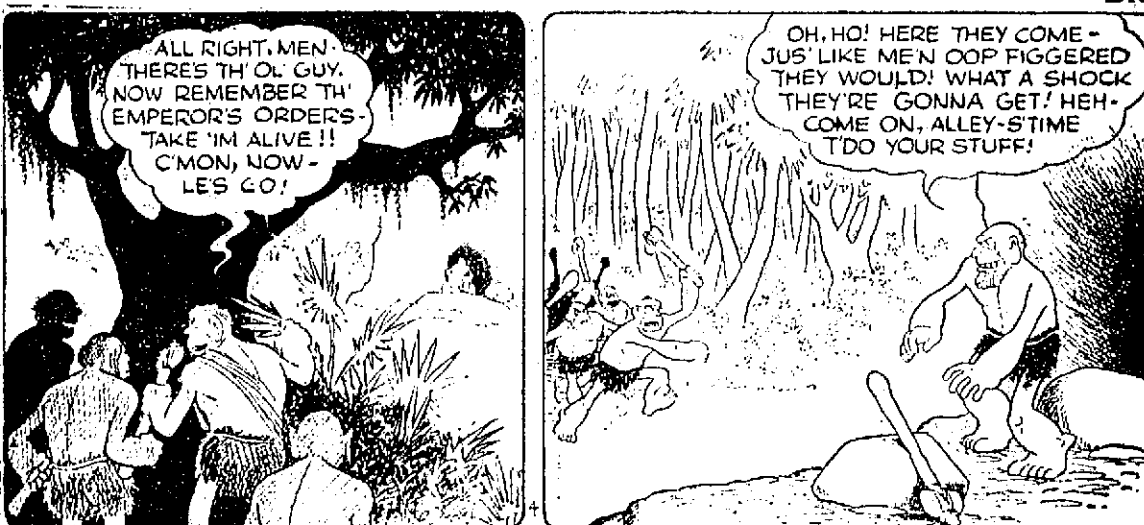
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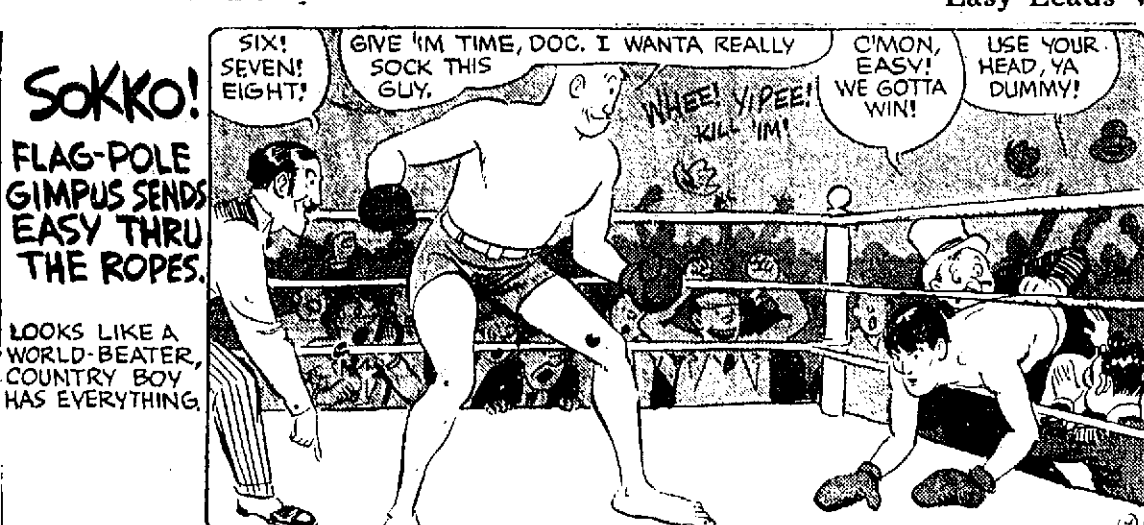
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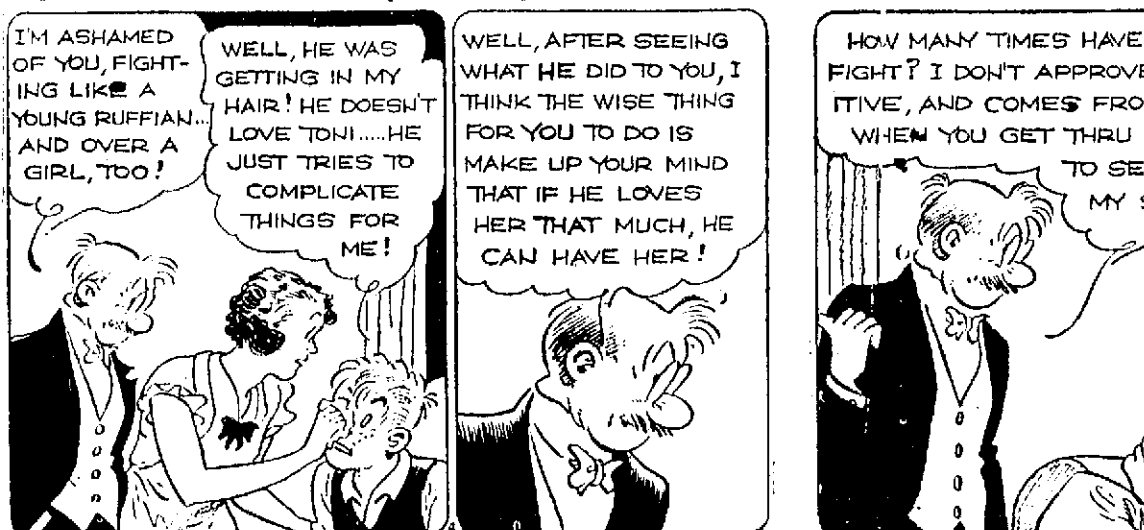
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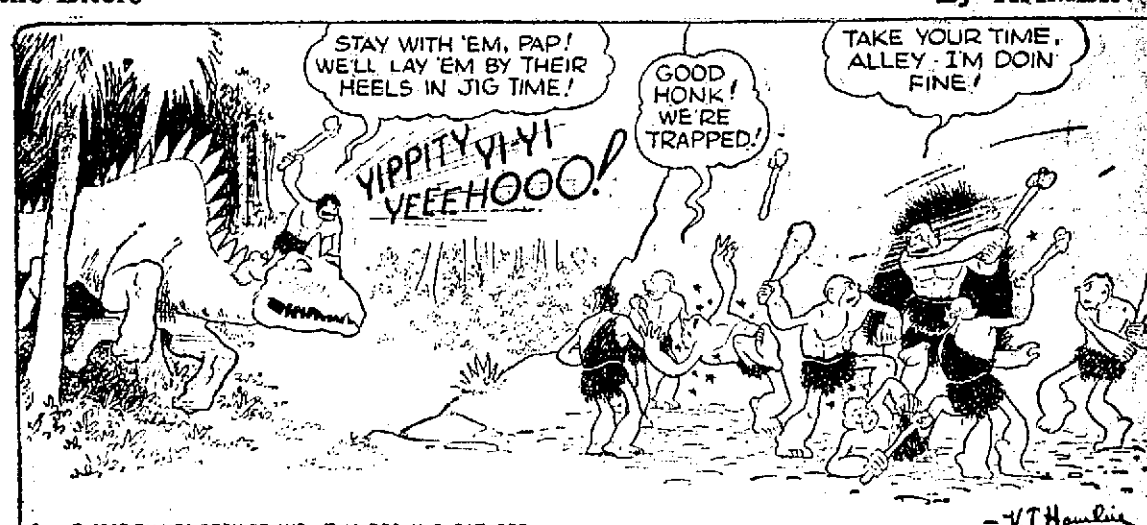


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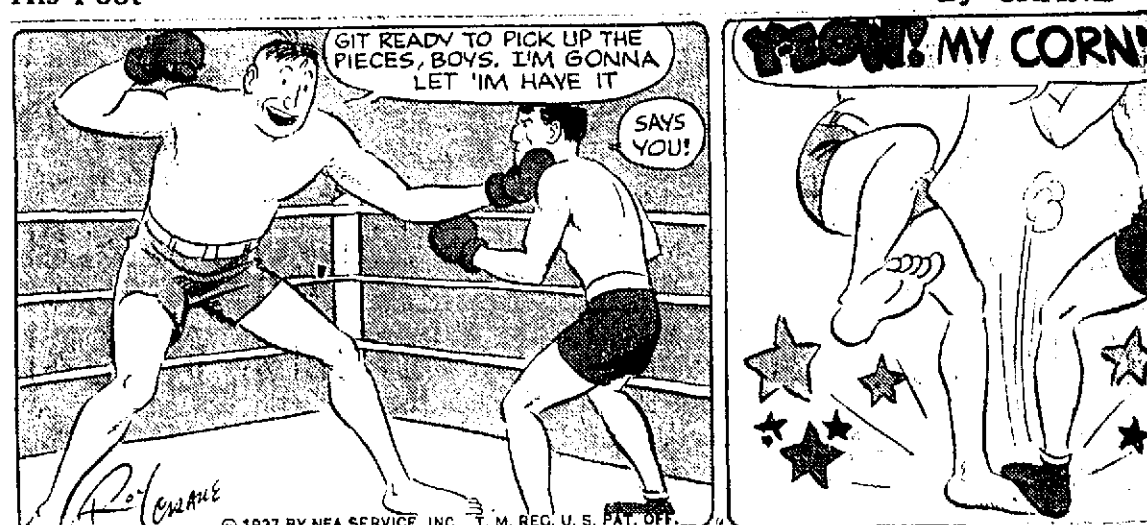
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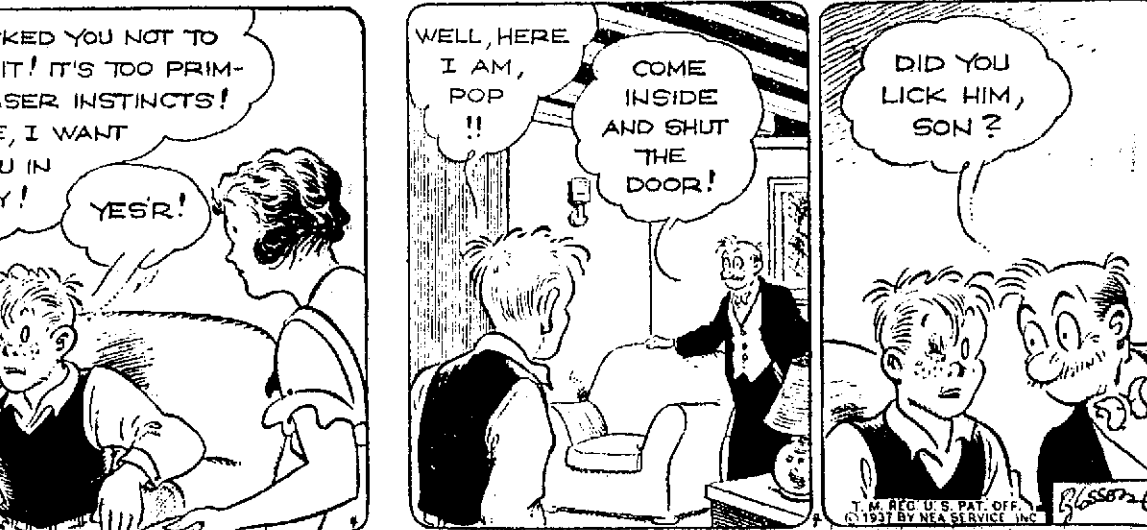
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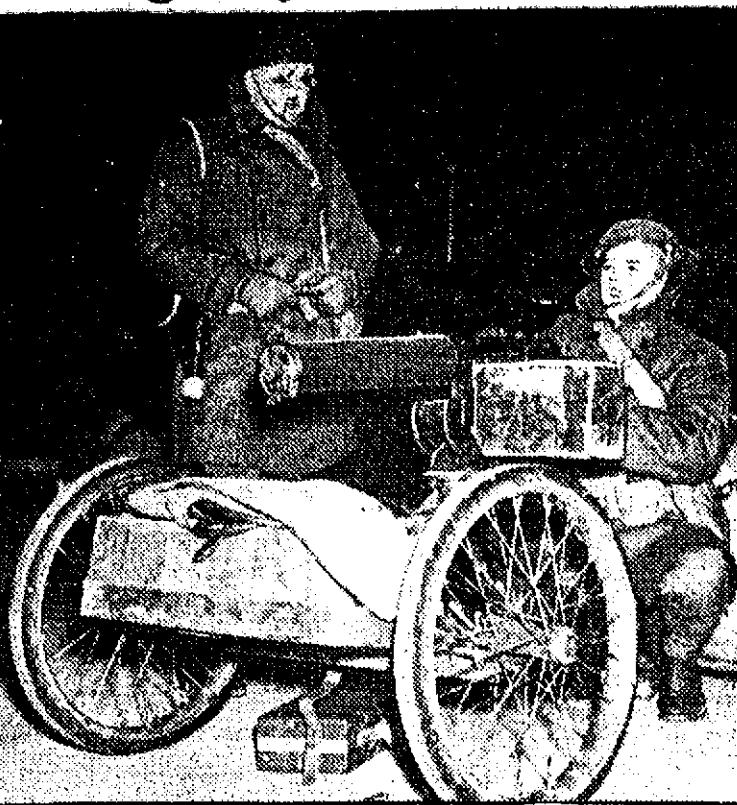
Lewis Two-Fisted Battler for Labor

Trained in School of Distrust Because of Many Labor Spies

By the Associated Press
WASHINGTON—Old hands who have watched John L. Lewis in labor negotiations before were not surprised by his evident blunder in preemptor-

ly summoning President Roosevelt to his aid in the conflict with General Motors.
That it was a blunder Lewis himself intimated when next day he sought to temper the words he had used in telling a press conference it was time for Mr. Roosevelt to begin paying election debts to labor.
Lewis has lacked the feather touch on previous occasions and some explanation is available in the type of battle he often has been compelled to fight. A sample of what goes on back of the scenes in labor affairs in some industries is on show daily at the sen-

Aiming to Quell Strike Violence



Ordered back into action in the strike-torn industrial area of Flint, Mich., after rioting at Chevrolet Plant No. 9 injured at least 15 persons, one seriously, these national guardsmen have their machine gun trained down a main street overlooking the picket lines at Chevrolet Plant No. 6. With bayonets flashing, 2200 guardsmen marched into the strike area and took full command.

ate civil liberties investigation.

Labor Spies

Lewis quite likely has had to deal with paid spies in his time, or at any rate, has known unions which have had to deal with them. Officials of such labor-spy organizations have testified before the senate committee of filtering their agents into local unions, of paying them while they climbed into union offices with the intent of breaking up the organizations.

Lewis never conceals the fact that he has been trained in the school of mutual distrust. That makes the job of frankly laying cards on the table difficult. But to that handicap Lewis now has added a breach of political decorum. It broke up negotiations in Washington and caused the President to jerk Lewis's ear.

Strangely enough, some quarters sensed an easing of tension afterward.

While the administration is committed definitely to union organization, it boldly frowned on high-handed tactics. The way was opened for sterner federal gestures, and Secretary of Labor Perkins made them by calling all sides to a conference, including Lewis. He was the first to accept.

Soviet Trial
The Washington press corps had a ghastly feeling when a one-time associate, Vladimir Romin, was implicated in the latest of the Soviet conspiracy trials.

The first reaction was that it was another noisy court show in which Romin had been involved innocently. Even Romin's own testimony that he had delivered letters from Earl Radek, confessed conspirator, to Leon Trotsky failed to shake off entirely the impression here that Romin, although not under indictment, was being badly dealt with.

As friends recall his background here, he served with the Russian armies in the World war, fell in wholeheartedly with the bolshevik movement, and was correspondent for the Soviet press in Geneva for several years before coming to Washington in 1934.

In appearance he was a cinema model of an alert Russian officer, sharp features set in a broad face, brown eyes under arched brows, nose thin and hawked. He spoke practiced English and had a manner of gathering himself from soles to crown to bow slightly even for the exchange of most casual greetings.

He left here expecting to go to London after a short stay in Russia, but was met in Moscow by an arresting party.

Indian Lawyers

There is an "Indian lawyer" racket in Washington but Senator Thomas of Oklahoma, chairman of the Indian affairs committee, says it is not a fat one. Lawyers press Indian claims against the government sometimes for years, seeking to collect under some nearly forgotten treaty. They live on fees they tease away from tribesmen, a dollar at a time, on moss-grown promises that the government is about ready to shell out. Large payments are rare, and must be split among many Indians.

All-Time Record

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interesting to note the uniform average distribution of rainfall throughout the year, but as a matter of settling arguments the following information may be interesting:

Greatest January rainfall recorded, 1937, 13.94 inches.
Greatest rainfall during any month, July, 1949, 19.50 inches.
Month averaging greatest rainfall, April, 5.27 inches.
Greatest annual rainfall, 1892, 73.43 inches.

Least rainfall during any one month, October, 1934, 0.00 inches.
Month averaging least rainfall, September, 3.20 inches.
Least annual rainfall, 1896, 19.20 inches.

Greatest 24 hour rainfall, 7.13 inches.
Greatest recent 24 hour rainfall, May 18, 1930, 5.38 inches.
Average annual rainfall, (60 year average) 51.37 inches.
Average annual snowfall (28 year average) 2.70 inches.

Although the 60 year rainfall record shows an average annual fall of 51.37 inches, the last 10 years averaged 47.05 inches, and the last 6 years averaged only 45.54 inches.

Table 2 gives information on temperatures, which on the average are very favorable for the county. Extreme fluctuations occur, however, as shown below:

Lowest temperature recorded, January—10 degrees.
Lowest recent temperature, January 18, 1930, —8 degrees.

Month averaging the lowest temperatures, January.
Highest temperature recorded, July 115 degrees.

Highest recent temperature, August 10, 1936, 113 degrees.

Average temperature for county, 61.3 degrees.

Table 3 gives interesting information about the growing season of Hempstead county. Other facts concerning the county are:

Area of county, 727 square miles, or 465,280 acres.
Elevation of county, varies from 300 to 400 feet.
Elevation of Hope, 377 feet.

Park in 1854.

Eighty-five per cent of the world's supply of nickel is produced in Canada. The rest comes from New Caledonia, India and Norway.

10 Hours Coast to Coast Is Practical

TWA Finds Greater Speed, Smoothness, Safety at 30,000 Feet

KANSAS CITY—(AP)—Invisible from the earth, two men have been pioneering for months far in the heavens to learn the lessons necessary for safe, non-stop transcontinental passenger flights in the sub-stratosphere.

Deliberately seeking bad weather, D. W. "Tommy" Tomlinson, TWA's chief research pilot, and James Heistand, the line's chief engineer, flew 1,300 miles in January without seeing land. Dropping through a hole in the clouds near Princeton, N. J., their expensive experimental plane nosed over as they landed.

Air Giants Planned

Their flights are intended to pave the way for the creation of a super-fleet of aircraft to dwarf even the giant Pacific-spanning clippers. TWA officials, who have earmarked a fund for this research, predict that such planes—with a 50-passenger capacity and a 150-foot wingspread—will be in operation within five years.

With the proposed ships the airline expects to fly passengers at 30,000-foot levels, high above storms encountered at the present 10,000-foot level.

Capitalizing on the reduced wind resistance at the higher altitudes, cruising speed may be boosted from 180 to 210 miles an hour. The airline expects its "over-weather" flights to reduce air time from Los Angeles to New York to 10 hours.

Tests Prove Feasibility

"Our test trips have shown conclusively that passenger service at higher altitudes is practical," says Tomlinson, who has reached a height of 35,000 feet in the laboratory plane, a Northrop Gamma.

"Planes ride smoother, fly faster, and flying is safer at the higher levels. The air up there is smooth as a pond. Our chief problems now are to perfect engines that function with maximum efficiency in the thin air and to build pressure proof cabins."

Tomlinson has been flying the experimental plane from its open cockpit, a handkerchief over his head to protect his bald spot; Heistand riding within the cabin behind a mass of instruments.

Oxygen apparatus has been necessary on their flights, but plans for the future air giants are such that pass-

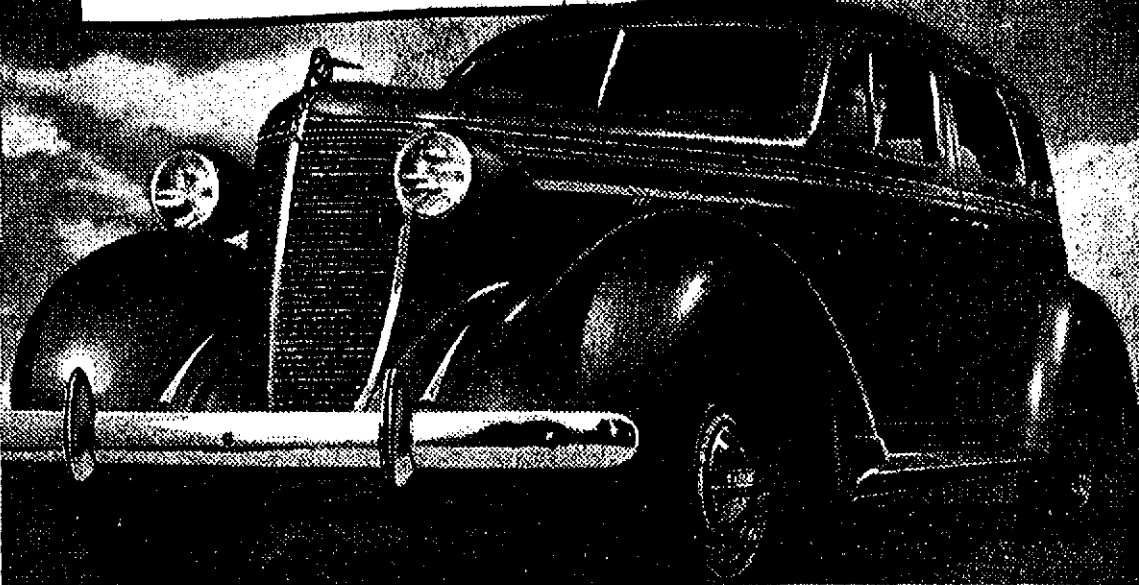
engers will need no oxygen masks or ear muffs. The planes will fly through thin air at temperatures ranging far below zero, but heaters will maintain

a 70-degree temperature inside the cabin and air conditioning apparatus will provide fresh air and equalize the pressure.

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